

PROCLAMATION TEACHER DAY

May 7, 2002

WHEREAS, teachers open children's minds to the magic of ideas, knowledge and dreams; and

WHEREAS, teachers keep American democracy alive by laying the foundation for good citizenship; and

WHEREAS, teachers fill many roles, as listeners, explorers, role models, motivators and mentors; and

WHEREAS, teachers continue to influence us long after our school days are only memories; and

WHEREAS, National Teacher Day will be celebrated on May 7, and jointly, Teacher Appreciation Week will be observed May 6 through 10; and

NOW, THEREFORE, as the Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim May 7, 2002, as **TEACHER DAY** in the state of North Dakota.

	John Hoeven Governor
Attest:	
Alvin A. Jaeger Secretary of State	